MOTION BY SUPERVISOR DON KNABE

July 3, 2007

The Los Angeles County Solid Waste Management Committee/Integrated Waste Management Taskforce, which was convened by this Board pursuant to Chapter 3.67 of the County Code, and in concert with the California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989 (commonly known as Assembly Bill 939), has been actively addressing solid waste management issues on a Countywide basis. In July 1999, this Board adopted a series of recommendations developed by the Taskforce to address a number of AB 939-related deficiencies. Further, the Board instructed the Department of Public Works to actively pursue these recommendations at the State level. Public Works, in concert with the Taskforce, has been instrumental in the passage of several legislative bills that echo these recommendations.

Recently, Mr. Albert Avoian, the Business/Commerce representative, retired from the Taskforce, leaving the position vacant. To fill this vacancy, I recommend Mr. Sam Perdomo to fill this position. Mr. Perdomo is a Senior Government Affairs manager for - MORE -

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Waste Management, Inc. (one of the largest waste management companies in the nation). He has 38 years of experience in solid waste collections, recycling, materials recycling facility operations, waste transfer station operations, and land disposal. Mr. Perdomo is widely regarded as a leader in the solid waste management field and was previously appointed as a Commissioner to the Los Angeles Solid Waste Authority Commission by Supervisor Burke in 2000.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board appoint Mr. Sam Perdomo to the Los Angeles County Solid Waste Management Committee/Integrated Waste Management Taskforce, serving as the Board's Member representing the Business/Commerce position, effective immediately.

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